

## Message Text

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E.O. 11652: N/A  
TAGS: BEXP, TH  
SUBJ: WTDR/FTI - AZTEC INTERNATIONAL LTD.

REF: USDOC 11053

1. THAILAND 2. CNTRY CODE: 549 3. SER. NO: N/A

4. AZTEC INTERNATIONAL LTD.

4A. CODE: K

5. 200/96 SOI 71 SUKHUMVIT ROAD, BANGKOK 11.

6. BANGKOK, THAILAND

7. ESTABL: 1975 8. EMPL: 35 9. SIZE: (20-X) MEDIUM

10. REPUTATION: (22-X) GOOD

11. SELLS ITS PRODUCTS IN THE FOLLOWING FOREIGN AREAS LISTED IN  
ORDER OF IMPORTANCE:  
LOCAL

12. RPT. DATE: 06/77

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13A. 35610/235 IMP. AGT. DIST. OF PUMPS

13B. 38400/235 IMP. AGT. DIST. OF HOSPITAL SUPPLIES AND EQUIPMENT

13C. 13820/9 WATER WELL DRILLING SERVICE

13D. 73920/9 ENGINEERING AND DESIGN CONSULTANT

14. CONTACT: MR. JOHN R. ROBINSON TITLE: MANAGING DIRECTOR

15. CABLE: AZTEC 16. TELEX -- 17. TEL: 3910765

18. FINANCIAL REFS: BANGKOK BANK LTD., 9 SUAPSGLUJR  
HDIRTJEOK;  
KRUNG THAI BANK LTD., 260 YAWARAJ ROAD, BANGKOK.

19. TRADE REFS: RED JACKET PUMPS, P.O. BOX 3888, DAVENPORT; IOWA  
52808; BRIGHT OF AMERICA, 300 GREENBRIER ROAD, SUMMERSVILLE,  
WEST VIRGINIA 26651.

20. AGENCY REP: HAYWARD TYLER & CO. LTD., P.O. BOX 2 LUTON,  
ENGLAND LU1 3LW, U.K., SUMO PUMPS, ACQ: 1977.

21. SUBJECT FIRM WAS ESTABLISHED AND REGISTERED AS A CORPORATION  
IN 1975 WITH AN AUTHORIZED CAPITAL OF US\$5,000. FIRM IMPORTS AND  
DISTRIBUTES PUMPS, CONTAMINATION CONTROL EQUIPMENT FOR HOSPITAL  
USE, OIL PAINTINGS, AND OFFERS THE FOLLOWING SERVICES: EXPLORA-  
TORY DRILLING, WATER WELL DRILLING, ENGINEERING AND DESIGN  
CONSULTANTS AND PUMP MAINTENANCE. ITS RENTED OFFICE COVERS 153  
SQ. METERS WITH A DISPLAY ROOM OF 40 SQ. METERS, LOCATED IN ONE  
OF BANGKOK BUSINESS DISTRICTS. BOTH MANAGING DIRECTORS, MR. JOHN  
R. ROBINSON (AN AUSTRALIAN CIVIL ENGINEER) AND MR. JOHN F BARRETT  
(AN INDIAN ENGINEER) HAD BEEN EMPLOYED BY AN AMERICAN ENGINEERING  
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CONSULTANT FIRM IN BANGKOK BEFORE ESTABLISHING AZTEC INTERNATIONAL  
LTD. THEY HAVE HAD 20 AND 5 YEARS EXPERIENCE RESPECTIVELY IN  
THAILAND IN THE FIELD OF WATER WELL DRILLING. RECENTLY AZTEC  
OBTAINED A CONTRACT FROM THE METROPOLITAN WATER WORKS AUTHORITY  
TO DRILL FOUR WELLS AT A COST OF US\$100,000 AND ANOTHER CONTRACT  
FROM THE ELECTRICITY GENERATING AUTHORITY OF THAILAND TO DRILL  
TWO WELLS AT A VALUE OF APPROXIMATELY \$200,000. AZTEC EMPLOYS  
35 PEOPLE INCLUDING 5 SALESMEN. ITS SALES VOLUME IN 1976 WAS  
REPORTED TO BE US\$300,000. FIRM IS A MEMBER OF THE AUSTRALIAN  
CHAMBER OF COMMERCE AND AUSTRALIAN WATER WELL ASSOCIATION. LOCAL  
BANK REPORTS FAVORABLY ON SUBJECT FIRM, IT IS CONSIDERED TO BE  
A GOOD TRADE CONTACT FOR U.S. FIRMS.

2. PREPARED BY: SATHIT/SOMSAK APPROVED BY: JAMES H. SAVERY  
AT: AMEMBASSY BANGKOK.  
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